

03050108-04

(Indian Creek)

General Description

Watershed 03050108-04 (formerly the Indian Creek portion of 03050108-050) is located in Newberry and Laurens Counties and consists primarily of ***Indian Creek*** and its tributaries. The watershed occupies 61,981 acres of the Piedmont region of South Carolina. Land use/land cover in the watershed includes: 76.0% forested land, 12.0% agricultural land, 5.5% urban land, 4.5% forested wetland, 1.3% barren land, 0.5% scrub/shrub land, and 0.2% water.

Indian Creek originates near the Town of Joanna and accepts drainage from Fort Branch, Loftons Branch, Locust Branch, Long Branch (Buncombe Branch), Headleys Creek (Peges Creek), Pattersons Creek, Asias Branch, Gilders Creek (Johns Mountain Branch, Joshuas Branch), and Hunting Creek. There are a total of 113.4 stream miles and 37.0 acres of lake waters in this watershed, all classified FW.

Surface Water Quality

No water quality monitoring occurred in this watershed.

NPDES Program

Active NPDES Facilities

RECEIVING STREAM

FACILITY NAME

PERMITTED FLOW @ PIPE (MGD)

NPDES#

TYPE

COMMENT

INDIAN CREEK

QUALITY STONE INC./JOANNA QUARRY

PIPE #: 001 FLOW: M/R

SCG730379

MINOR INDUSTRIAL

Nonpoint Source Management Program

Mining Activities

MINING COMPANY

MINE NAME

PERMIT #

MINERAL

QUALITY STONE INC.

JOANNA QUARRY

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GRANITE

Growth Potential

There is a low potential for growth in this watershed, which contains the Town of Joanna. The watershed is effectively excluded from development by residing in the Sumter National Forest.